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B. 20/11/19

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Serial Nos. Sixteen

Part B for August 19

SUBJECT.

Interchange of traffic in food-grains between Madras and Mysore.

W D 1256—GPB—30,000—28-1-19

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

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File No. 66

FILE HEADING.

Inland trade of food grains between Madras & Mysore

From

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cf 23/

Copy of Resident's communication stating that the Govt. of Madras accepts the revised settlement arrived at the Bangalore Conference of the 3rd March 1919 on the question of inter-state trade in food grains is submitted to the Dewan.

C. Rama Rau
Registrar 5.4.19

Circ to Fe

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3 Draft at once.
Why has not the file
come up yet
9.4.19

4 Draft subd - Nee refee in
Question was read in
Nee Secretn in the afternoon
Nee 7 to
Nee 5 Essentn
9/4/19
9.4.19

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Serial No. 240

To

The Food Controller of
Dry Cereal Supplies in
No. 24505 of 25-4-19 Myore
States that he may call for
tenders from merchants who
are willing to import the ce
required. Rice 25

CHIEF SECRETARIAT
II
POLITICAL BRANCH.
29 MAY 1919

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Serial No.

12 According to Para III of the Annexure to G.O. No 21160-4/P.P. 66-18-220 & 22nd March 1919 the present arrangements for exchange of food grains between Mysore & Madras are to continue till the end of June 1919 & that the question of extending the arrangements should come up at a Conference to be held in the middle of June 1919.

13 Submitted as to whether the Food Controller may be consulted suitably in the matter.

A Conference may with advantage be convened at Bangalore on some date between the 16th & 20th instant Pro 4-6-19.

4/6/19 Chief Secy

14 Yes - Please submit F.C. no.

4/6/19

15 Forwarded unofficially to the Food Controller with compliments for favour of opinion.

By order,

for Chief Secy

4-6-19

16 Returned with

G.O. No. 142 dt. 6.6.19.

NOTE—Contn. sheet.

Mis 107 SD 4/6/19 Secy

O. P. 66 of 1919 5

compliments & in reference my minute as proposed between the 16th and 20th inst at Bangalore - If approved I shall ask the Madras Director what date will suit

Yours
Ford Fairhollm

4 Jan 1919

Submd
Reg 17 Draft D. O. Sub[d] to facilitate
5/6/19 disposal
Chief Secy
Dewan)

Hon
5-6-19.

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18 Returning Minute as Rq[d] & submd
with if any Cuff's necessary

CRS
9/6/19

10.6

19 Necessary Draft attached

CRS
13/6.

14/6

20 Draft submd
Reg 14/6/19

14.6.19

Chief Secy!
21 Draft may be approved

Dewan

CRS
15/6/19

Secretaries
CRS 17/6
CRS 18/6

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General and Revenue Secretariat. | P. File No. 66 of 1919

Serial No.

257 To

The First Asst to the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore

No. Pol. 126 of 18.6.1919

Requests to ascertain from the ~~Madras~~ Govt of Madras whether they desire for a Conference to be convened to consider the question of extension and if so to intimate the date which will suit the convenience of Officers

Secy A

257 From the Dy C.S. in Mysore No 12323 of 23/25.6.19.

Requests early orders regarding the continuance of the arrangements for interchange of grains between Madras & Mysore after 30th June 1919 as in case of rice is to be supplied from the Delta Districts in July as heretofore. The Dy Dr of C.S. Bezwada will have to be intimated of the names of the suppliers by the 1st July 1919 --

24 Draft to the Residency perusal

Secy 26/6/19

Chief Secy

Secy 26-6-19

Secy 1293 a Dispatch

Chief Secy 26-6-19

NOTE---Contn. sheet.

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Serial No.

26 Draft D.O. to the Food Controller is put up as personally directed by the Chief Secy.
28/6/19

27 Returned
28/6/19

28 Resubmit file again on 30/6/19
Bro
28/6/19

29 To
The Food Controller
in Mysore
No. G. 28876 of 28.6.19
States that the Residency has been addressed in the matter ~~of~~ ~~para 11~~ and he may take necessary action on the assumption that the arrangements will be continued in July 1919 also.
27 File returned as directed in ~~para 28 above~~ person on the 27th instant
Reg
30/6/19 Chipleky
Bro
30/6/19.
28 No reply has yet been received from Madras.
29 Re perusal.
Dewan
30 Sec H
30/6
Reg
30/6/19

DEWAN'S OFFICE.
Recd. on JUN 30 1919
Reg. No. 9326.

NOTE—Contn. sheet.

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General and Revenue Secretariat. | P. P. File No. 66 of 1918-19

Serial No. 201

From the F. A. Resident
No 5088 of 30.6.19.
With reference to this office letter
No P.R 1293 of 26.6.19 regarding
the interchange of food grains
between Madras & Mysore
States that the Madras Govt have
asked their Dy C.S to proceed
to Bangalore immediately to
confer with the Dy C.S. in
Mysore on certain outstanding
matters & also for arrangements
for the next 2 or 3 months & requests
an early reply for intimation to
the Govt of Madras.

31 The connected file was submitted to Dewan today.

32 A draft reply to the Residency ~~Draft letter to the Draft~~ submitted.

Asst
30.6.19.

30/6/19 Chief Secy

Dewan

33 Submitted

Asst
1-7-19

2-7-19

Sent recd & linked

DEWAN'S OFFICE.
Recd. on JUL 1 1919
Reg. No. 87

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General and Revenue Secretariat.

P. File No. 66 of 1918-19

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Serial No.	
262	To The First Asst Resident No. Pol 1316 of 2.7.1919 Requests that the Madras Govt may be moved to instruct their Dy C.S. Officers to intimate beforehand the date when he proposes to visit Bangalore and States that the Conference may take place at the Public offices Bangalore or such other place as the two Directors may fix for convenience.
264	From the A. A. Resident No S 338 of 8.7.19 With reference to the above, I have the necessary advice a copy of a telegram received from the Dy C.S. Madras stating that proposing, if agreeable to visit Bangalore on the 10th Inst - leaving Madras - 9th by mail train. Chief Secy's order. To Copy to Dewan - Send copy to F.C. advance. Sd/ CSB 9/7/19 To Draft puts up - A reply to the Resident appears to be necessary. A draft is also put up 8/7/19

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General and Revenue Secretariat.

G. O. File No. 66 of 1918-19

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Serial No.

37 For approval

Chief Secy 8-7-19

265 To

The Food Controller in Mysore

No. G. 515 of 8.7.19

For copy of telegram referred to in M no 264 and enquiries whether the date proposed is suitable.

266 From the Food Controller

No 761 of 8.7.19

States that he can meet the D.C.S. Madras on the 11th: as he will be absent from Bangalore on the 10th inst.

38 Draft sub

Yes 9/7/19

39 Issue as proposed

Secy

267 To

The F. A. Resident

Mol 22 of 9.7.19

Understands the above

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Routine Notes.

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Copy of Residency letter No 5338 dt 8-7-19 forwarding for information copy of a telegram from the Director of Civil Supplies, Madras stating that he proposes visiting Bangalore to consult with the Director of Civil Supplies, Mysore on the 10th Instant is submitted to Dewan.

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DEWAN'S OFFICE.
Recd. on JUL 8 1919
Reg. No. 233

4/ Communicated to Mr C Ramachar
U/S
Registrar
8.7.19

N.B.—Should routing notes be written on small slips, the notes must be copied, or slips pasted on this form.

Ch Sec
9.7.19.
2 S.

42 The telegram referred to

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General and Revenue Secretariat.

P.P File No. 66 of 1918-19

Serial No.

was communicated to the Food Controller already vide sl 265-43 Rec. file may be sub'd to the Dewan for perusal & the further refee to the Residency wh the 11th inst. may be suitable for the Conf.

hg 9/7/19

44 Submitted for perusal

Dewan 9-7-19

45 Seen

12/7

DEWAN'S OFFICE.
Recd. on JUL 9. 1919
Reg. No. 266.

268 From the Food Controller in Mysore no 1188 of 14/15.7.19.

Submits a copy of the notes of the Discussions held between the Dy C.S. Madras & himself on the 11th July 1919. read, from Mr Moir & as revised by himself & requests that the arrangements noted therein may be sanctioned for the months of July & August 1919.

46 A draft order & a draft reply to the Residency subd

hg 15/7/19 Chief Secy 15.7.19

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General and Revenue Secretariat.

P.P File No. 66 of 1918-19

Serial No.

47 For approval

Dewan's

48 (Draft approved by the Dewan)

DEWAN'S OFFICE.
Recd. on JUL 16 1919
Reg. No. 466

49 Issue

269 To

The Revenue Commissioner
- I. G. of Police
- Food Controller in Mysore
- Dy Com^rs of Bangalore, Mysore & Kolar Dists
- Dy. Com^rs of other Dists

No. G. 1394-404 of 18.7.19

Approves the arrangements referred to in the notes of discussions and requests the Food Controller to issue necessary instructions in the matter

270 To

The P. A. Resident

No. Pol 75 of 15.7.19

For a copy of the notes of

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G. R. S. 111-2.

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General and Revenue Secretariat.

M. File No. 66 of 1918

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	discussions and states that Govt have accepted the arrangements indicated therein and issued necessary instructions.
271	From the F. A. Resident No 6131 of 8.8.19. With reference to sl 270 above - forwarding copy of letter of 4.8.19 from the Govt Madras accepting the revised settlement referred to therein - Submitted for perusal.
	hg 9/8/19
	~~Submitted for orders~~
	~~Commissioner~~
	Arrangements from September onwards have to be settled.
	Chief Secy
	9-8-19.
	For perusal
	F.C. will be consulted in regard to arrangements from Sept^r onwards
	Dewan
	13/8/19
	14.8.19
	Please write
	Extracts taken & dealt with separately to F.C
	Draft
	15-8-19

DEWAN'S OFFICE.
Recd. on AUG 14 1919
Reg. No. 1047

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To 29.
15-4-19

REPLY.

(*To be written on this margin.*)

WD 243– GPB—2,000—2-8-18

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Office of the Dewan of Mysore.

NOTE.

Dated 14th April ..... *1919*.

A copy of Mr. Matthan's demi-official letter dated the 9th instant, regarding the result of his visit to Madras in connection with the arrangements for the import of rice from Madras and Burma, is forwarded, with compliments, to the Chief Secretary to Government.

By order,

Private Secretary to the Dewan.

15-4-19

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Office of the Food Controller &
Director of Civil Supplies in Mysore,
Camp Mysore, 9th April 1919.

Dear Sir,

As permitted by you I went to Madras yesterday (Tuesday) morning and returned the same night to Bangalore after seeing the Director of Civil Supplies, Madras, and discussing with him the arrangements for ensuring that the Madras rice which we are entitled to is actually imported into the State. Mr. Gray was at first inclined to ~~xx~~ the belief that the difficulties which our merchants complained of about getting rice especially from the Ramachandrapur taluk were of their own making. He said that out of six millowners, the licenses of two had been cancelled and the remaining four had assured him that they were quite ready to sell rice at the controlled prices. He also said that the existing arrangements for the control over the export of rice from the Delta districts of the Madras Presidency were to be almost immediately modified, and that from the month of May we should have no difficulty in getting our allotments. He added that if the March and April allotments could not be got this month there should be no difficulty in getting the same in May. I pointed out that we could not wait till May to get what we ~~xxx~~ were entitled to get in March and April, & that it was not possible to believe that all the Mysore merchants who had been permitted to import rice from the Godavari District were wilfully misrepresenting that they could not get the rice at the controlled prices. After considerable discussion Mr. Gray undertook to write the same day to the Collector of the Godavari district to do everything in his power to see that the licensed merchants gave

gave the allotted quantities of rice to our importers, and that if the particular licensed holders who were to export to Mysore failed to comply, he would arrange to give licenses to other millowners to make the supply and that if this also failed the question of commandeering the rice at the controlled prices as suggested by me could be considered. Mr. Gray's attitude appeared to be one of helpfulness and I left the matter at this point in the hope that the efforts of the Collector of the Godavari district would succeed.

I took advantage of this visit to Madras to settle details of the agreementswhich Messrs. Appana Ramachandra Rao & Co. were to execute for the import of Burmah and Ramachandrapur rice. A draft prepared by Mr. Guruswamy Chetty was carefully gone into and revised.

I also arranged for the import of 500 tons of broken rice C-3 as per sample which I have obtained at Rs.11-12-0 "f.o.r.", Bangalore.

I had also the opportunity of ascertaining from Mr. Gray the exact procedure in the matter of licenses for imports of Burmah rice. Mr. Gray was also able to give me some useful information about reduction of railway rates for consignments of rice. The rate from Calcutta to Madras has been recently reduced to 0-13-3 per maund. This is something like 1/6th pie per maund per mile which is about 33% lower than the existing rate between Madras and Bangalore. I shall be submitting proposals in the matter of reduction of railway rates after obtaining some information from our railway officials.

Yours sincerely,

C.S.A.S.

A. R. Banerji, Esq., C.I.E.,
Dewan of Mysore,
Bangalore.

8.11.

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No. 2715.

MYSORE RESIDENT'S OFFICE,

Dated, Bangalore the 5th April 1919.

From

W. H. J. Wilkinson, Esq., I.C.S.,
First Assistant to the Resident in Mysore.

DIARY NO. 12810

To

The Chief Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No. Pol.945, dated the 22nd March 1919, I am directed to state that the Madras Government accept the revised settlement arrived at the Bangalore Conference of the 8th March 1919 on the question of inter-trade in food grains between the Mysore State and the adjoining British districts of Malabar and the Nilgiris as embodied in the enclosure to your letter under reference.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

H. Wilkinson

First Assistant Resident.

BJ

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No.2715. Mysore Resident's Office,

__ted, Bangalore, the 5th April 1919.

From

W.H.J. Wilkinson Esqr., I.C.S.,
to the
First Assistant/Resident in Mysore.

To

The Chief Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

Sir,

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I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

(Sd) W.H.J. Wilkinson,

First Assistant Resident.

"C O P Y"

C.G. Ramachar

Registrar.

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SUBJECT.....

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Diary No. of letter replied to.....

Section

File No.

Serial No.

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT,

( )

, the *191* .

No.

Date of issue 10-4-19

Signed by W A Hill

~~To~~

Here enclose letter no 2715 G.S.W. April 1919 from Hon. F. A. Resident

G 23032

Copy of the above is forwarded with Compliments to the Food Controller & Dy C-S- in reply to reference in Govt G.O.No.G 21160-4/RO 66-8-220 G 22-3-19

R-O

Copy of the above is forwarded with Compliments to the Food Controller & Dy C-S- in reply to reference in Govt G.O.No.G 21160-4/RO 66-8-220 G 22-3-19

R-O

Copy of the above is forwarded with Compliments to the Food Controller & Dy C-S- in reply to reference in Govt G.O.No.G 21160-4/RO 66-8-220 G 22-3-19

R-O

9-4-19

Clerk of the

DIARY NO. 18814

IN REPLY REFER TO NO 7162 ENCL. 1

Office of the Food Controller and the Director of Civil Supplies in Mysore,

Bangalore City, Dated 19th April *191*9.

From

K. MATTHAN, Esq., B. A.,

Food Controller and Director of Civil Supplies in Mysore.

To

C. S. Balasundaram Iyer, Esq., B.A.,

Chief Secretary to the Govt. of Mysore,

B a n g a l o r e.

67236

Sir,

I have the honour to submit for the information of Government a copy of Notification No.4 of April 1919 issued by the Director of Civil Supplies, Madras, communicating the future procedure for the export of rice from the Delta Districts. It will be observed that in future our imports of rice will not be restricted to particular mills in a particular taluk of the Godavari district, but we shall be at liberty to get it from any of the districts of Guntur, Godavari and Kistna through the merchants whose tenders for export are accepted by the Director of Civil Supplies, Madras This arrangement is to come into force as from May and I believe it will work more satisfactorily than the arrangements hitherto subsisting.

I do not propose that delta rice from the Madras Presidency should be purchased direct by Government. It may as heretofore be purchased by merchants who agree to sell under our control both as regards distribution and as regards price. If the Government approve of this I request that

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I may be permitted to call for tenders on the lines of the notice issued by me on the 11th ultimo.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Food Controller & Director
of Civil Supplies in Mysore.

KM/MPH.

Office of the Director of Civil Supplies

C. No. 1468/19-14 Mount Road,

M A D R A S, 15th April, 1919.

Notification No. 4 of April, 1919.

Under the distribution, at present, in force the total surplus of rice exportable from the Northern Deltas is estimated to be 9,175 tons a month allotted as follows:--

1,600	tons from	Guntur.
2,400	"	Godavari.
5,175	"	Kistna.
9,175		

This scheme has been found defective in two respects.

In the first place a uniform monthly distribution of the estimated surplus of the year ignores the fact that it is during the period between the close of one harvest season and the opening of the next that any local scarcity is most severely felt and that imports are most required, and secondly the strict allocation of the requirements to be met between the three districts has hampered the detailed working of the scheme and given an unnecessary rigidity and hindering force to provisional estimates. With reference to these considerations the monthly surplus exportable from the three districts taken together will for the present be fixed at 10,000 tons, and while the capacity of each of the three districts to meet demands as shown by past experience will be carefully considered no districtwar allocation will be made. Ten thousand tons equals 135,000 bags of 2 maunds each.

2. The following special allotments must remain unaltered: (1)

(1) Madras & Southern Mahratta Railway Co-operative Society.	.	5,000 bags.
(2) Hyderabad State.	.	4,000 "
(3) Pondicherry Relief Committee.	.	6,000 "
(4) Deputy Assistant Director of Grass Farms, Nandyal up to the end of June.		2,600 "
(5) Banganapalle State.	.	200 "
(6) Vellore (Missionaries at Tarlapad and Danakonda)	.	200 "
(7) Vizagapatam (Golconda and Sarvasidhi Taluqs).	.	23,380 "
(8) Mysore and Kolar Gold Fields.	.	9,520 "
Total.		50,900 bags.

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This leaves a balance of 84,100 bags which have to be distributed between Madras Town including the Corporation Depot and other depots controlled by the Emergency Committee and the districts of the Nilgiris, Chittoor, Salem, Bellary and Kurnool. The proposed distribution is as follows:--

Madras Town, including the various depots.	30,000	bags a month
Nilgiris.	13,500	"
Chittoor	9,000	"
Salem	9,000	"
Bellary	13,600	"
Kurnool	5,000	"
Additional allotment for the Madras and Southern Mahratta Railway Co-operative Society.	4,000	"
	84,100	"

3. The total amount of allotment to be exported and the estimated distribution up to that amount will, if necessary, be subject to alterations from month to month of which notice will be duly given.

4. Mr. Bhore the newly appointed Deputy Director will have his head quarters at Bezwada and will be in immediate charge of the work connected with the regulation of the export of rice from the Northern Delta districts. It is expected that the new scheme will be in working order by the beginning of May. In the meantime Collectors of the importing districts must make the necessary arrangements for organising their merchants or other importing agencies and working out their consolidated indents within the limits set out above so that these indents may be forwarded to the Deputy Director as soon as he is in a position to bring the revised scheme into effect. He will not act as a buying agent but will simply bring the buyer into contact with the seller. Collectors of the buying districts must make their own arrangements with regard to the conditions as regards local distribution or prices etc., on which the importers selected by them will be recommended. With reference to G.O. No. 667 Press, dated 9th April 1919 regarding the proposal to take a deposit of Rs. 100/- from every person who is allowed to export from the Northern Deltas, the responsibility rests on Collectors to make the necessary arrangements. The allocation of their district allotment between different merchants

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or between different areas in their districts in left entirely to them. The indent to be submitted to the Deputy Director at Bezwada should be for the month of May. It should state clearly the names and addresses of the persons selected to buy, the amounts which each is allowed to buy, the total, not to exceed the allotment of the district, and the station or stations to which the consignment of any particular buyer should be sent. The necessary priority certificates will be issued by the Deputy Director, Bezwada. The Deputy Director will call for tenders for the export of rice at fixed prices from the Northern Delta districts to the various buying districts, societies, depots, etc. The prices at which tenders will be called for will be fixed and will not exceed the present fixed maximum prices,

viz. Rs. 11-12-0 first quality Boiled rice per bag of 2 maunds including gunny ex-godown.

Rs. 11- 4-0 Raw rice.

It should be widely notified in the various buying districts that on the introduction of the new scheme, importers will only be allowed to buy from those whose tenders have been accepted by the Deputy Director and that no attention whatever will be paid to applications for priority certificates based on alleged previous contracts of sale. Any importer in any of the buying districts who buys rice from the Northern Delta districts without special permission in each case before the new rules are finally introduced does so entirely at his own risk.

Sd/ L. E. Hurtis
For Director of Civil Supplies.

Copy to the Chairman, Emergency Sub-Committee, Madras.
" Collector of the Nilgiris with reference to his letter No. G.C. 550/19-2 dated 14th March 1919 sending his indent.
" Collector of Chittoor.
" President, Prices Sub-Committee, Madanapallee, with reference to his letter No. 2 of 1919 dated 13th March 1919.
" Collector of Salem.
" Collector of Bellary.
" " Kurnool with reference to his letter R.C. No. 1020/Genl. dated 27th March 1919.
" " Nellore.
" " Vizagapatam.
" Dewan of Banganapalle State.
" Deputy Assistant Director, Grass Farms, Nandyal R.S.,

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with reference to this office letters No. 112/19-7 dated 25th February 1919 and No. 204/19-16 dated 20th February 1919.

Copy to the Secretary, M. & S.M. Railway Co-operative Society, Madras.
" Agent, Madras, & Southern Mahratta Railway, Madras.
" Secretary, Pondicherry, Relief Committee.
" Director of Civil Supplies, Hyderabad--Deccan.
" Director of Civil Supplies, Mysore, Bangalore.
" M.R.Ry. S. Grurswami Chettiar Avl., Madras Corporation Depot, Madras.
" N. S. Kamath Avl., Madras.
" ~~Mr.~~ Mr. Abdul Azīz.
" The Collector of Godavari, Kistna and Guntur.

"C O P Y"

For Food Controller & Director of Civil Supplies.

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G. R. S. VI—G/32]

SUBJECT.....

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Diary No. of letter replied to.....

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

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, *the* 191 .

Date of issue 25.4.19.

Signed by W. A. N.

Section

File No.

Serial No.

NO. 624505

To The Food Controller & Dir. civil Supplies

Sir,

With reference to para 2 of your letter no 7162 dated the 19/21 st April 1919 re the import of rice from the delta districts, I am directed to state that you may call for tenders from merchants who are willing to import the

over.

Same, as proposed by you —

I have etc.

Adm
25-4-28
Richie Hospital
for

List of enclosures.

Copied by 25/4

Examined by

W D86—G P B—60,000—15-11-16

Ap. 66-1E
8125

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Pol 1261 with Ans
18.6.19 Extra copy

To

The First Assistant to the
Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore.

S i r,

I am directed to invite reference to correspondence ending with Mr. Wilkinson's letter No.2715 dated the 5th April 1919, communicating the agreement of the Madras Government to the revised settlement arrived at the Bangalore Conference on the 8th March 1919 on the question of inter-trade in food-grains between Mysore and Madras.

2. It was decided at the Conference that the arrangements for April and May should continue till the end of June 1919 and that the question of extending the same should be discussed at a Conference in the middle of the current month, Vide paragraph III of the Notes of the Conference.

3. I am desired to request you to kindly ascertain from the Government of Madras whether they desire that a conference should be convened to consider the question of extension or whether they would like that the present arrangements, which are apparently working satisfactorily, may be continued for another

another period of, say, three months, from the 1st July to the end of September. If it i considered desirable to hold a conference I am to request that a date which will suit the Madras Officers may be kindly intimated.

I have etc.,

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Chief Secretary to Govt.

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CHIEF SECRETARY'S
POLITICAL BRANCH
26 JUN. 1919.

Office of the Food Controller & Director
of Civil Supplies in Mysore.

Dated, Bangalore, the 23rd June 1919.

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DIARY NO. 21279
19 -19
SECTION
FILE NO

From

K. Matthan Esq., B.A.,

Food Controller & Director
of Civil Supplies in Mysore.

To

C. S. Balasundaram Iyer, Esq., B.A.,

Chief Secretary to Government,

BANGALORE.

Sir,

I have the honour to request that I may be favoured with early orders regarding the continuance of the arrangements for interchange of grains between the Madras Presidency and Mysore after the 30th June 1919.

If rice is to be imported from the delta districts July as heretofore, the Deputy Director of Civil Supplies, Bezwada, will have to be given the names of the importers by the 1st July. The importers have to be selected after calling for tenders. Early orders are therefore necessar

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Food Controller & Director of Civil
Supplies in Mysore.

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT
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Date of issue 26th June 19

Signed by Mr. C. S. B. Iyer

Very Urgent

Section
File No.
Serial No.

No. Rol 1293

To The 7. A. Resident.

Sir,

I am directed to write reference to his my letter no Rol 1261 dated 18th June 1919 regarding the continuance of the arrangements for interchange of grains between Madras & Mysore after June 1919 and to request that the Hon'ble the Resident may be moved to ascertain the views of the Madras Govt may

over.

in the matter may kindly be
ascertained by wire, if possible.
and communicated to this
Durbar as the Dy. C.S. in
Nyasa reports that information of the names of the impostors
has been given to the Dy Dy Cs.
Brigvada by the 1st July next
if rice is to be imported
from the Delta Dts as heretofore.

I have etc

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16-6-19

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Section
File No.
Serial No.

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

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No. G 28876

Date of issue 28.6.19

To K. Matthan, Esq
Food Controller

Dear Sir,

With reference to your letter No 12323 of the 23/25 June 1919 regarding the continuance of the arrangements for interchange of grains between Madras & Mysore after June 1919

over.

I am desired to state that the Residency has been addressed to ascertain the views of the Madras Govt on the matter & that in the meantime you may take necessary action on the assumption that the arrangements will be continued in July 1919 also.

Yours sincerely

28-5-19

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D. 9035

Very urgent.

R. O. 2.—R. P. B.—2-1919.—2,000.

No. 5088.

FROM

C.T.C.PLOWDEN,
MAJOR ~~EXXXSXJAMES~~, I.A.,
FIRST ASSISTANT TO THE RESIDENT IN MYSORE.

To

The Chief Secretary to the Government
of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

Dated Bangalore, 30th June *19*19.

SIR,

With reference to the correspondence ending with your letter No.Pol. 1293, dated the 26th June 1919, regarding the interchange of foodgrains between Madras and Mysore, I am directed to state that the Madras Government consider it advisable that the Director of Civil Supplies, Madras should confer with the Director of Civil Supplies, Mysore, on certain outstanding matters and arrangements to be made for the next two or three months, but they consider that the attendance of the Collectors of Malabar and the Nilgiris, is not necessary. I am to add that the Government of Madras have asked their Director of Civil Supplies to proceed to Bangalore immediately.

I am to inform the Government of Madras whether the Durbar agrees, and should therefore be obliged for an early intimation.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

C.S.

C.S.B.

For First Assistant Resident.

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Diary No. of letter replied to.....

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

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Date of issue 2nd July 19

Signed by M. C. S. B Cyce

Section P.P. 66/18

File No. 262

Serial No.

No. Rol 1316

To The J. A. Resident

Sir,

With refce to the cor-
respondence ending with
your letter no 5088 of 30th
June 1919 I am directed
to state that the Durbar
agree to the proposal of the
Govt of Madras for a Confce
~~between~~ Ministers of C.S in

over.

with the request Dr in con-
-nection with the arrange-
-ments to be made for
Mr Chatfield between Madras &
during
Burma ~~for~~ ~~during~~ the 2nd & 3rd
January. In the request that
meeting - the Madras Govt
may ~~be requested~~ be moved
to instruct their Dr to
entertain before-hand the
Date when he proposes
to visit Bangalore - the
Conference may take place
the Public Offices - Bangalore or such other place
as the two Doctors might find convenient.

I have the

honour

Chatfield

Hon
30.6.19.

Copies forwarded with
the Food Controller's
Compliments to Dr G S
Mahajani for info

Copied by D.Das(3)

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Hon
30/6/19

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MYSORE RESIDENT'S OFFICE,

Bangalore, 8th July 1919.

Very Urgent

DNO 5540 18

No. 5338/Income

Telegram

A copy of the marginally* noted ~~letter, with enclosure~~, is forwarded with compliments to the Chief Secretary to the Govt of H.H. the Maharaja of Mysore for information and favour of necessary action, with reference to his letter No. PDR-1316, dated the 2nd July 1919.

*No. 2561/C.S dated 7.7.19 from the Director of Supplies Madras

First Assistant Resident.

R. O. 178 (a).—R. P. O.—2-1919.—1,000.

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dated 7th July 19

Telegram No. 2561 D.C.S., from the Director of Civil Supplies, Madras, to the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore, Bangalore.

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Propose if agreeable to Durbar to visit Bangalore to consult with Civisup on tenth instant leaving Madras ninth by mail train.

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Resident's Office.

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Date of issue 9.7.19

Signed by

Section M.66-18
File No. 265
Serial No.

No. G. 515 one

To

The Food Controller
in Mysore

Sir, In continuation of this office
No G 100 of 2nd July 1919, I
am directed to forward
herewith a copy of a telegram from
the Dy C.S. to Madras
to the Hon'ble the Resident
stating that he proposes
to visit Bangalore on

over.

to The Asst Secy Madras
on the q^in by mail train. The Resident has been informed that the date is suitable
and to enquire whether the date proposed is suitable.

A very early reply Telegram
by wire is requested.

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No. 761 POLITICAL BRANCH. 9 JUL 1919 Office of the Director of Civil Supplies in Mysore,

19 -19 SECTION FILE NO. SERIAL NO.

Bangalore, dated 8th July 1919.

My dear Balasundaram Iyer,

I have received from the Director of Civil Supplies, Madras, a post copy of his telegram to the Hon'ble the Resident saying that he wishes to meet me on the 10th instant. I have some urgent work at Mysore (as I have personally explained to the Dewan yesterday) and I am leaving this to-morrow morning and will be back only on the 10th evening or 11th morning. So I have telegraphed to Mr. Moir that I will be absent from the headquarters on the 10th and would be glad to meet him here on the 11th.

Yours sincerely,

KM/MPH.

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Date of issue 9th July 19

Signed by Jno C. L. Burges.

Section
File No. M. 66 98
Serial No. 257

No. Pol 22

12.20 P.M.

To The J. A. Resident

Sir,

With reference to your Endt no. 5338 98 dt 3rd July 1919 regarding the Dr of C. Madras - Bangalore, I am directed to state that the date proposed - viz the 10th instant - will not suit as the Dr of C.S. in Mysore will be absent

over.

Mr Bangalore on that Day on urgent work.

The Letter appr. will return

to Bangalore the next day

& he has already telegraphed

to Mr Moir that he could ~~will~~

meet him here on the

11th inst. ~~I trust this~~ It is hoped this will

be satisfactory.

Yours etc

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Chas Chapman

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IN REPLY REFER TO
NO 1188
ENCL. 1

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Office of the Food Controller and
Director of Civil Supplies in Mysore 974

Bangalore, Dated 14th July 19 19

Tel: Address.
"Civisup"

From

K. MATTHAN, Esq., B. A.,
Food Controller and Director of Civil Supplies in Mysore.

To

C. S. Balasundaram Iyer, Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to the Govt. of Mysore.

Sir,

I have the honour to submit herewith a copy of the notes of the discussions held between the Director of Civil Supplies, Madras, and myself on the 11th instant, received from Mr. Moir and as revised by me. I request that the arrangements referred to therein may be sanctioned for the months of July and August 1919. The new arrangements provide for a slight decrease in the quantities of ragi and horsegram allowed to be exported to Malabar and an increase in the quantities of ragi and rice allowed to be exported to Nilgiris, but the total quantity of food grains to be interchanged remains the same.

There are a number of applications received both in this office and in the office of the Director of Civil Supplies, Madras, for permission to transport small quantities of rice from Mysore to Madras and from Madras to Mysore. It is not possible to include this in the arrangements for interchange of one thousand tons both ways. It has, therefore, been proposed that both Directors may allow such small imports or exports up to

to a limit of 5 tons every month. This will result in considerable saving of correspondence and may be sanctioned.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Food Controller & Director.

KM/MPH.

Notes of the discussions held between the Food Controller and Director of Civil Supplies, Mysore, and the Director of Civil Supplies, Madras, at a meeting held at Bangalore on 11th July 1919.

Under the agreement arrived at the Conference held at Bangalore on 8th March 1919, the following arrangements were in force during the months of April, May and June:-

(1) The Collector of Malabar was allowed to draw 50 tons of ragi and 44 tons of horsegram per month from Mysore for the Malabar-Wynad.

(2) The Collector of the Nilgiris was allowed to draw 50 tons of ragi and 16 tons of rice per week for Gudalur or 286 tons per calendar month.

(3) The Director of Civil Supplies, Madras, was allowed to draw 620 tons of horsegram per month from centres in Mysore intimated by the Food Controller & Director of Civil Supplies, Mysore.

(4) In exchange Mysore was allowed to draw 700 tons of rice from the northern deltas of the Madras Presidency under the control scheme of the Director of Civil Supplies, Madras, and 300 tons of rice from Nellore district.

The arrangements as now revised will be as follows:-

(1) The Collector of Malabar will be allowed to draw 30 tons of ragi and 6 tons of horsegram per month for the Malabar-Wynad. The arrangement by which the Wynad Planters Association import the allotment will continue.

(2) The Collector of the Nilgiris will be allowed to draw 60 tons of ragi and 30 tons of rice per week for Gudaluar = (260 tons plus 130 tons per month respectively or 390 tons in all). The permit holders will be allowed to import any kind

kind or quality of rice which may be available.

(3) The Director of Civil Supplies, Madras, will be allowed to draw 574 tons of horsegram from Mysore to be certificated from centres intimated by the Director of Civil Supplies, Mysore.

(4) In return the Director of Civil Supplies, Mysore, will be allowed to draw 1,000 tons of rice from the Madras Presidency, 700 tons being an allotment of controlled rice from the Kistna district certificated by the Deputy Director of Civil Supplies, Bezwada, and 300 tons being drawn from the Nellore district.

(5) In order to meet special cases such as that of the Hosur Co-operative Society, the Director of Civil Supplies, Mysore, will arrange for indents for controlled foodstuffs to be exported from Mysore being complied with up to a maximum of 5 tons per month. Of this amount the Hosur Co-operative Society will be allowed to import up to 2 tons per month on application to the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore. The Director of Civil Supplies, Madras, will reciprocally countersign certificates issued by the Director of Civil Supplies, Mysore up to 5 tons per month.

(6) The new arrangement will be in force in the months of July and August. It was agreed that it was inadvisable now to make arrangements for September in view of the impossibility of forecasting what requirements would then be as the harvest in August and September may considerably alter the situation.

(7) It was agreed that any balances ascertained to be due to Mysore or to Madras Presidency under the previous agreements should be fully implemented on either side.

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(8) It was agreed that all assistance necessary should be given mutually by the authorities concerned to ensure that the quantities of foodstuffs specified above were actually delivered and in this connection the Director of Civil Supplies, Mysore agreed to have instructions sent to the Deputy Commissioner, Mysore, to ensure the prompt issue of permits for rice and ragi for Gudalur when the permit-issuing officer is on tour and that if the amount of grain for which permits are issued in any one week falls short of the stipulated quantity permits will be issued in the following week for the balance thus due in addition to the quantity due for that week. The Deputy Commissioner, Mysore, and the Amildar of Gundlupet will give intimation to the Collector of the Nilgiris of each permit as soon as it is issued.

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B Muddukrishnappa

For Food Controller & Director
of Civil Supplies in Mysore .

MPH.

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File No.

Serial No.

General and Revenue Secretariat

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the 191 .

Proceedings of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

Date of issue 18/7/19

Signed by

G.O. no G16019-23 dated 31.1.19
P.P. 66-18-166

G.O. no G2116 60-4 dated 22.3.19
P.P. 66-48-220

May this be

i Printed ?

ii treated as a standing order ?

iii published in the Gazette, English Part ? P.R.D.

iv translated ?

v placed at the disposal of the press ?

vi published in the Gazette, Kannada Part ?

Item 11 The marginalia notes Govt orders regarding the arrangements for the interchange of food grains between Madras & Mysore (2) Correspondence ending with letter no. 1188 dated 14/15th June 1919 from the Food Controller ~~Order Thereon—No.~~ and supplies in connection with the scheme forwarding a copy of the minutes of discussion held between the Dr of C. Madras

the arrangements

and himself on the 11th July 1919 regarding the withdrawal of food grains during July & August 1919

and soliciting sanction to the arrangements noted therein -

Order -

The arrangements ~~noted~~ ~~above~~ noted in the Notes of discussions which are printed as Annexure A to this order - are approved.

2. The Food Controller of Bg & C.S. in Sigma is requested to issue necessary instructions in the matter.

17.7.19

18/7/19

Asst Chief Secy

To The Revenue
The Dy of Police
The FC Controller of Bg & C.S.
The Dy Comrs of Bangalore, Mysore & Kolar Dts
The Dy Comrs of Mer Dts.

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Date of issue 18th July 19

Signed by C. S. B. Iyer.

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To a
Section P. P. C.
File No. 66—18
Serial No. 2705

No. Ft 75 Encl 1

To The (with a spare copy) H. A. Resident

Sir,

With reference to correspondence ending with your Endt no. 5338 of 8th July 1919, I am directed to forward herewith a copy of the notes of discussions held between the Director of Civil Supplies Madras & myself on the 11th July 1919

over.

regarding the arrangements for interchange of foodgrains between Madras & Negapatam during July & August 1919 and to state that the Durban have accepted the arrangements indicated therein & issued necessary instructions.

2. It is hoped that the Madras Govt will also approve of the arrangements.

Yours etc
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Chief Secy

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Pol. 185
c/d 5th Aug 1919

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MYSORE RESIDENT'S OFFICE,

Bangalore, 8th August 1919

SECTION M 18
FILE NO 27
SERIAL NO

AUG No. 6731.

CHIEF SECRETARY'S
II
POLITICAL BRANCH.
9 AUG 1919

A copy of the marginally* noted letter, ~~with~~ ~~enclosure~~, is forwarded ~~with~~ its Compliments

*No. NO. 1478 dated 4-8-1919 from the Govt. of Mysore, Revenue (Special) Dept.

to the Chief Secretary to the Govt. of Mysore, for information, with reference to his letter no. Pol. 75- dated the 18th July 1919.

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J Rutter

for First Assistant Resident

R. O. 178 (a).—R. P. B.—4-1919.—1,000.

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Letter No. 1478, dated the 4th August 1919, from the Acting Secretary to the Government of Madras, Rev. Spl Dept. to the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore.

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With reference to your letter No. 8856, dated the 25th July 1919, I am directed to state that the Governor in Council accepts the revised settlement on the question of trade in food-grains between the Mysore State and the British districts of Malabar and the Nilgiris as embodied in the enclosure to your letter under reference.

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C O P Y

REGISTRAR

Resident's Office.